

THE RAG COMES HERE

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WE WON AND LYNCHBURG LOST.

Bluebirds Ate the Roanoke Goats Up and Norfolk Played Havoc with the Chances of the Tobaccoists--Details of the Contests.

Richmond, 14; Roanoke, 4; Norfolk, 9; Lynchburg, 6; Petersburg, 9; Portsmouth, 0.

Richmond	Petersburg	Portsmouth	Lynchburg	Norfolk	Roanoke	Win.
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The State League games yesterday practically decided the race for the pennant, and Richmond is the winner. There is now absolutely no doubt that the Spaulding flag will come here. The Bluebirds lead the Tobaccoists by thirty-six points, and nothing short of a miracle will give them first place. Richmond has seven games to play, and Lynchburg is scheduled for seven, but expects to play two postponed games with Roanoke, making nine in all. Three of Richmond's games are with Norfolk, three with Petersburg, and one with Roanoke. If the Bluebirds win only four of the seven and the Tobaccoists carry off all nine the season will close with Richmond three points ahead of Lynchburg. It is not probable that Lynchburg will win all of her games, and it is more than likely that the Bluebirds will succeed in cornering at least five of the seven, so the 14th of September will, in all probability, roll around and find Richmond considerably more than three points ahead of the Hill City.

THE THIRD PLACE.

While the race between the two leaders is going on, the fight for third place is growing more and more spirited. When Mr. Brady put a team in the field from Portsmouth it was with the avowed purpose of beating Norfolk out. It mattered not to him what place he got, so he headed the Clams. He took the lead over Norfolk early in the season, and successfully maintained it until yesterday, when the Clams forged ahead, and are now in third place, with four points to the good.

BEAT ROANOKE OUT AGAIN.

Bluebirds Took the Game Yesterday with Great Ease. The second game of the series between Richmond and Roanoke went, as did the first, to Richmond, by a good, big score. The "Goats" played far better than they did in the preceding game, but were "not in it" with the Bluebirds, who did some vicious stick-work. Fry was in the box for Roanoke, and apparently pitched an easy ball to find. With the single exception of well scattered, every hit he had, however, was pretty hard raps, and the nine strokes netted fifteen bases. Gillen was not a bit disturbed by this, and continued to hold the Goats under his control. He was not supported as well as he might have been, though the five errors made by his fielders were not very costly. The game was listless as a whole, and there was not a single exciting nor brilliant play made. The score will tell the whole story:

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Housenab, 2b.	5 0 1 0 1 0
Bradley, 3. f.	5 0 1 2 0 0
Wells, 1b.	3 1 2 0 0 0
Foster, c.	5 4 2 7 2 1
Berte, s.	3 4 1 1 6 2
Gillen, p.	5 2 3 0 5 0
Totals	39 14 26 17 5

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STARTED IN EARNEST.

The run-making did not commence until the second inning, but it commenced then in earnest, and was continued through to the ninth, when five runners trotted over the rubber. Fry was completely demoralized before the contest, and he was unable to combat with the Bluebirds' heavy stick-work he had a support which at times was awfully weak, and six bad and costly errors were made by him. One of the half dozen was made, though, by Fry himself.

GILLEN'S GOOD WORK.

Gillen did the twirling for Richmond, and he was far more successful than was Fry, for only nine hits were made off him, and these were well scattered. Every hit he had, however, was pretty hard raps, and the nine strokes netted fifteen bases. Gillen was not a bit disturbed by this, and continued to hold the Goats under his control. He was not supported as well as he might have been, though the five errors made by his fielders were not very costly. The game was listless as a whole, and there was not a single exciting nor brilliant play made. The score will tell the whole story:

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BEAN-EATERS SUPERIOR.

BOSTON, MASS., September 6.—Boston to-day's game by superior all-round playing. The principal features were the batting of Nash, Lowe, and Parker, and the fielding of Hallen, Long, and Truby. Attendance, 1,000. Score: R. H. E. Boston.....5 2 0 0 2 0-9 16 2 Chicago.....0 2 0 0 0 12-5 14 1 Batteries: Nichols and Gansel; Hutchison, Parks and Kittling.

THREE STRAIGHT.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., September 6.—Philadelphia made it three straight from St. Louis to-day in the second inning. Breitenstein was hit by a hard drive from Royce's bat, and was compelled to retire. Breitenstein, taking his place. The shut-out was not hard in the third and fourth innings, but afterward settled down to good work. An error by Hallman gave the Browns a chance to tie the score in the seventh. The Phillies won out on Thompson's triple and Hallman's single. Attendance, 5,000. Score: R. H. E. Philadelphia.....0 1 0 0 0 12-9 11 2 St. Louis.....1 0 0 3 0 4 0-13 6 3 Batteries: Taylor, Grant and Clements; Breitenstein, Klingner and Plett.

GUMBERT WELL SUPPORTED.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., September 6.—Foutz's men gave Gumbert fine support. Burkett's double in the first inning was the only clean hit made by the Clevelanders. O'Connor was to blame for both runs scored by the Browns. His careless ball allowed Griffin to tally in the first inning, and Shock scored the winning run on O'Connor's wild throw to second base. Score: R. H. E. Brooklyn.....1 0 0 0 0 10-9 2 0 Boston.....1 0 0 0 0 0-9 1 2 Batteries: Gumbert and Grim; Wallace and O'Connor. At Baltimore: Baltimore-Louisville game postponed. Rain. At Washington: Washington-Cincinnati game postponed. Wet grounds.

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WITHIN THE COUNCIL

THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE STILL REVISING ORDINANCES.

Licenses Imposed on Circus and Jugglers--The Sinking Fund Chapter--Absolute Necessity for a New Jail--Col. Branch Resigns.

The two branches of the City Council convened last night as the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of considering the revised city ordinances. President Turpin, of the Board of Aldermen, was in the chair, and Mr. Alexander Coke, the codifier, recorded, while Sergeant-at-Arms R. R. Ralston read the ordinances. While the licenses were being considered it was decided, on motion of Mr. Briggs, that the license of circus be fixed at \$30 for each performance, while the license for jugglers was fixed at \$20 per week.

On motion of Mr. Davis, the subject of selling land for delinquent taxes was referred to the City Attorney, with a view of preparing an ordinance protecting the city against any cost.

THE SINKING FUND.

The chapters concerning the sinking fund and the owning of stock by the city in joint stock companies were agreed upon without any changes. No changes of any kind concerning the jurisdiction of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings.

When the chapter in regard to the city cemeteries was being considered Mr. Davis offered an amendment providing that the City Cemetery be opened to the public from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. After considerable discussion the amendment was agreed to.

THE NEW JAIL MATTER.

There was a meeting last night of the special committee appointed by the City Council to look into the matter of erecting a new jail. Those present were Chairman Gunst, and Messrs. Donlevy, Mayer, and Tanner.

MR. NELSON'S OVERDRAFT.

His Checks Honored for Large Amounts at the State Bank. There are absolutely no new developments in the matter of the large overdraft at the State Bank, which was made public yesterday, and which has cost Mr. Richard W. Cardwell, a trusted bookkeeper in that institution, his position and property.

MR. NELSON'S CHECKS.

The discrepancy, though discovered August last, did not become known outside the bank until some time thereafter, and the bank had made public yesterday. The overdraft was about \$100,000. It was discovered when it first became known in banking circles.

KEPT NO STUBS.

Mr. Nelson asserted that he kept no stubs of his checks, and therefore had no means of knowing how his accounts stood, as he continued to make deposits and all his checks were duly honored.

FUNERAL OF MR. COTTRELL.

An Impressive Obsequy at Dr. Hoge's Church--Other Burials. The obsequies over the remains of Mr. Hoge at the Second Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. The church was filled with the numerous friends and relatives of the deceased, and the service which was impressively performed by the Rev. Dr. Hoge, was greatly distressed over his unfortunate predicament.

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WILL THEY HAVE A NEW TRIAL?

The petition in the Lunenburg cases will be heard Thursday. Captain George D. Wise, of counsel for the three negro women who are under sentence for the murder of Mrs. Lucy Jane Pollard, of Lunenburg, has received a letter from Judge Samuel P. Coleman of the Circuit Court of Lunenburg county, appointing next Thursday at Amelia Courthouse as the time and place for hearing the petition to be presented to him for a writ of error in the cases. Messrs.

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